

PROGRESSION GUIDANCE BULLETIN - NOVEMBER 2023

Our careers bulletin is a resource to help you explore next steps after college.

Careers Appointments

The Progression Guidance and Careers department has three qualified careers advisors (Alex, Cat and Sally) who are available to help you make informed and realistic decisions about your future by providing the right advice, information and guidance about university, apprenticeships, employment, and work experience. We are in **R105** located on the first-floor - opening times **9am-4pm (term time)**. If you would like an individual careers advice discussion, please email progression@esher.ac.uk.

Support With Applying To University

How to complete your UCAS Application form (everything you need to know)

[PowerPoint Presentation \(esher.ac.uk\)](#)

[How to put your BTECs on your UCAS form \(esher.ac.uk\)](#)

UCAS Form Checking

Come and get your completed UCAS Application form checked by Progression Guidance in R105 during the following times – no need for an appointment.

Tuesdays: 08:55 – 12:40 Wednesdays: 10.00 - 16.15 or Fridays: 08:55 – 16:45

Open days. [Opendays.com - university and college open days - home page](#)

At this time, you should be looking at universities and attending some open days to get an idea of university life and experience what they have to offer. Here are a few examples of Open Days that are coming up in the next few weeks.

[Undergraduate Open Day | Bournemouth University](#)

[Open Days - Courses and applying | UWE Bristol](#)

[Postgraduate events \(royalholloway.ac.uk\)](#)

Personal Statements.

We are offering **1-1 Teams personal statement appointments** with an expert from a partner university. If you would like to book a slot, please email progression@esher.ac.uk and state date and time you are free.

Wed 15/11/23 - RHUL

Wed 22/11/23 - Uni of Reading

Wed 29/11/23 - Uni of Roehampton

UCAS Applications Deadline Poster [UCAS deadline 2024 poster.pdf \(esher.ac.uk\)](#)

Higher & Degree Apprenticeships Fair

Godalming College on **Wednesday 29 November 2:30pm – 7:30pm**. A fantastic opportunity for students to meet with over 25 employers who offer alternative progression routes to the traditional university one. Employers attending include KPMG, Barratt Developments, Proctor & Gamble, Royal Surrey NHS Foundation Trust and the Metropolitan Police amongst others, including universities offering apprenticeship provision. Employers providing these apprenticeships pay for the qualifications (rather than students having to pay tuition fees) whilst offering them a full-time salary and the chance to network and grow within the organisation.

To book your tickets for this event, please visit the link [HERE](#) (max 2 tickets per booking).

Insight into Deloitte – Work for a Big 4 Firm!

Virtual Webinar via Zoom. **Wednesday 15th November from 5:00pm – 6:30pm.** Deloitte are the biggest accounting and professional services firms in the world with over \$60 billion in revenue. This webinar will give you an insight into what Deloitte do and what a career at such a huge global firm can look like. This event will give you an incredible insight to the world of business, accounting and technology.

Click here to sign up now: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/InsightIntoDeloitte>

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Our Autumn Weekend Programmes for InvestIn are now live - Find out more about the opportunities [via this link](#).

UNIFROG Events – November

- Day in the life of series **13 - 15 November** - opportunity to hear from some of the UKs biggest employers on what it's like to work in a range of industries.
- Apprenticeship application masterclasses **27 - 29 November** - expert tips from some the biggest employers on applying to apprenticeships and how to ace the interview process.

Skills4Life

The Skills4Life programme is accredited by Skills Builder and is designed to support young people on their journeys into adulthood, using the outdoors as a vehicle for learning and personal development. Skills4Life have been working with the National Citizen Service to deliver **free** and **heavily subsidised** places for 16–17-year-olds on our [Skills4Life residential programme](#)

Job Opportunities and Work Experience

Magical Maths is recruiting! Looking for enthusiastic 6th former students to help primary school children love maths ! £15 hourly rate. [Magical Maths is Recruiting North Surrey.pdf](#)

For any part time work experience enquires email Cat at c.elmes@esher.